STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR PROPOSING

WELWYN HATFIELD BOROUGH COUNCIL

THE BOROUGH OF WELWYN HATFIELD (VARIOUS CAR PARKS, HATFIELD) (OFF-STREET PARKING PLACES) ORDER 2023 (AMENDMENT NO.1) ORDER 202X

Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council is proposing to amend Traffic Regulation Orders in relation to off street car parking in **Kennelwood Lane Car Park, Hatfield.**

The Council are seeking to provide a 4 hour maximum free parking period for disabled badge holders when parking in a pay and display car park displaying a valid disabled person's badge and disc, and provision to pay beyond 4 hours between 7am and 9pm.

Having considered the duty imposed by Section 122 Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council consider that it is necessary and expedient to make Orders for the following reasons:-

- For the purposes of relieving or preventing congestion of traffic.
- To provide suitable parking facilities

The proposal has been subject to consultation with local and county councillors representing the area, Hertfordshire Police, Ambulance, Fire and Rescue Services, Officers from Hertfordshire County Council, local residents and businesses.

Geoff Sampson

Assistant Director (Regeneration and Economic Development) Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council 22 January 2025 Consulting on this scheme is a statutory duty of Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council. Any personal data you provide in responding to this Notice will be treated as confidential but will be shared with WHBC Officers; Borough Councillors and contracted third parties who are involved in the statutory process. We will not share identifiable data with third parties outside of the statutory process. Guidance on your rights in respect of personal data are published in the Privacy Policy on our website, www.welhat.gov.uk